**To:** Andrew, Gary[Andrew.Gary@epa.gov]

From: Webster, James

**Sent:** Fri 1/10/2014 11:56:16 PM

Subject: Re: RRT IV Incident Activation: Methylcyclohexane Methanol Release

Concur. At this pt KY would be lead for KY issues

From: Andrew, Gary

Sent: Friday, January 10, 2014 6:42:26 PM

To: Webster, James

Subject: FW: RRT IV Incident Activation: Methylcyclohexane Methanol Release

Jim.

I would like to tell him that we do not anticipate issuing any such statement officially. If Region 3 sends something out I will forward it on. The KY DOH can obtain info from Robbie, as he will be receiving the ORSANCO sampling results. Sound Good?

## Gary A

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Sent: Friday, January 10, 2014 6:38 PM

To: Andrew, Gary

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(ATSDR/DCHI/CB)

Subject: RE: RRT IV Incident Activation: Methylcyclohexane Methanol Release

## Gary,

Just got off the call, thanks for including HHS. If you guys have an official statement regarding the likelihood of impact to KY could you pass that along to us? We have received an inquiry from KY DOH, health and medical side of the house, asking about what levels of contamination could reach KY. We heard on the call that's its probably insignificant, but if you have a more official version we'd appreciate a copy.

Thx Bill

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Importance: High

Good Afternoon Everyone,

There has been a request for RRT IV activation this afternoon in reference to the chemical spill that occurred yesterday in West Virginia. The spill has impacted the Elk River in West Virginia which discharges to the Kanawha River, a tributary of the Ohio River. This call is intended to bring us up to speed on the status of the incident and any potential impact to Region 4 waters.

## The call will occur at 6pm Eastern Time



For some background on the release please see:

http://usnews.nbcnews.com/\_news/2014/01/09/22245996-west-virginia-chemical-spill-cuts-water-to-up-to-300000-state-of-emergency-declared?lite

Respectfully,

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On Scene Coordinator

**EPA RRT IV Coordinator** 

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